

## 2010 SUSTAINABILITY ACHIEVEMENT REPORT

Check out the City's achievements in environmental programs and learn tips to protect the environment and lower your trash, electric, and water bills.

The report is available on the City's website at:  
[www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov](http://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov).

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## CLIFF DRIVE UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING PROJECT UNDERWAY



*Cliff Drive, before.*



*Cliff Drive, after.*

The Cliff Drive Utility Undergrounding Project remains on schedule for completion in the spring of 2011. The Project is located on Cliff Drive from Salida Del Sol to approximately 400 feet west of Mesa Lane, including surrounding streets. The project involves undergrounding all existing overhead wires and facilities that supply electric, communication, or similar services along Cliff Drive.

The first phase of the project is complete with the installation of new underground conduits and other infrastructure. Southern California Edison (SCE) contractor crews are now working in the neighborhood to install underground wiring in the new conduits. This work will continue through the fall of 2010. Verizon and Cox Communications will complete their conversion work this winter through the spring of 2011, prior to the utility poles being completely removed in the final phase of the project. The project is a joint effort of the City of Santa Barbara, SCE, Verizon, and Cox Communications, and is primarily funded from SCE rate-payer fees. For additional information, please contact Underground Utility Neighborhood Coordinator Jim Britsch at 729-4629.



## CASH FOR MAKING YOUR GARDEN MORE WATER WISE!

**Rebates Available on 50% of the cost** of irrigation equipment, smart irrigation controllers, water-wise plants, and mulch.

Projects must be approved in advance.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
visit [www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/Water](http://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/Water)  
or call 564-5460



## CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING SAFELY

The Fire Department would like to remind residents to be safe during the holiday. The use of turkey fryers is discouraged. If you choose to fry a turkey, follow directions carefully, always use the fryer outdoors and place it on a solid, level surface safely away from buildings and flammable materials. Residents should never use fryers on a wooden deck or in a garage and should never leave the fryer unattended. While frying, people should use safety goggles and insulated oven mitts, wear long-sleeved clothing, and keep fire extinguishers within reach. If a fire occurs, call 9-1-1 immediately.

## City of Santa Barbara Parks & Recreation Your Recreation Leader



## EVERYBODY DANCE NOW!

Kick up your heels in one of Parks & Recreation's many dance classes taught by top-notch instructors in the newly-renovated Carrillo Ballroom. Beginning level lessons are offered in each type of dance style. You can build a foundation and end up as a pro. Sign up for a six-week session or drop in for a one-shot twirl. No partner required.

- Salsa
- Argentine Tango
- Country Line Dance
- Country Two Step
- Belly Dance
- Ballroom
- Hoop Dance
- Zumba Gold

View our entire dance schedule  
in our online Activity Guide at  
[www.sbarksandrecreation.com](http://www.sbarksandrecreation.com).  
For more information, call 897-2519.

# Travel Tips for Holiday Air Travel

Thanksgiving weekend is one of the most heavily traveled times for airports. Passengers are advised to plan ahead and arrive early at the Airline Terminal to ensure a safe and enjoyable holiday travel experience. Follow these tips:

1. Plan Ahead – arrive two hours prior to your flight departure time to find parking, check-in with your airline, and go through security screening. For flight information or more information about Santa Barbara Airport, log onto [www.flysba.com](http://www.flysba.com).
2. Pack Smart – know what items are accepted or prohibited through security and on the aircraft. Check [www.tsa.gov](http://www.tsa.gov) for more information. As a reminder, gifts should not be wrapped as they are subject to search, even if placed in checked baggage. The TSA liquid restrictions remain in place: bottled water and liquids over three ounces are prohibited through security screening at the boarding gates.
3. Parking – Long and short term parking options are available at the Terminal. Remote parking is available at Long Term Parking Lot 2 on Lopez Road, off Hollister Avenue near Fairview Avenue. All parking lots are automated - accepting payment via cash or credit card. Complimentary shuttle van service is available 24 hours a day, seven days per week between Lot 2 and the Airline Terminal. For more information about parking rates and locations, log onto [www.flysba.com](http://www.flysba.com).

## 2010 PARADE OF LIGHTS

### Silver Bells and Winter Swells

The 25th Annual Parade of Lights takes place on Sunday, December 12th. Festivities begin with a Santa's Village event at 3 p.m. on the City Pier. There will be a visit from Santa, and he's bringing snow for children to play in, plus holiday music. Distinguished judges, along with thousands of spectators will cheer on 30 to 50 boats decorated to the theme of "Silver Bells and Winter Swells." A short fireworks display will follow the boat parade, followed in turn by an awards ceremony and after-party catered by The Endless Summer Bar-Café. This year's parade celebrates a quarter century of harbor boating tradition in Santa Barbara.



Carolers performing at Santa's Village.



Snow brought in for Santa's Village.

For more information, visit  
[www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/ParadeofLights](http://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/ParadeofLights)

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